



Learn how to identify many forms of tracks and animal sign from local critters such as wolves, lynx, bobcat, coyote, weasels, fishers, and more!

## Become a volunteer carnivore tracker!

The Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center encourages people of all ages to explore and connect with the outdoors, as well as learn about their backyard ecosystems.

This workshop with the Wisconsin DNR is a great opportunity to become a volunteer carnivore tracker for the state. The DNR uses information from volunteers to estimate annual populations of many species.

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# 2013 Volunteer Carnivore Tracking Workshop

With the Wisconsin  
Department of Natural  
Resources- in  
cooperation with the  
Northern Great Lakes  
Visitor Center

For More Info, Visit:  
<http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wildlifehabitat/volunteer.html>



**The Wisconsin Department of  
Natural Resources (WDNR),  
in cooperation with the**



**Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center**  
*presents...*

**Snow Tracking Carnivores  
& Other Mammals  
in Northern & Central Wisconsin.**

This training is especially intended for those interested in participating in the Wisconsin Volunteer Carnivore Tracking Program--a program used to help estimate abundance of gray wolves and other forest carnivores within the state.

Participants will be trained on the identification of tracks of most medium and large land mammals in the state, methods of measuring tracks, use of forms, methods for conducting surveys, and will be tested in their ability to identify 25 state mammals by tracks. Use of field guides, and rulers will be encouraged.

Tracking field guides are available for purchase from the Center's gift shop, Spirit of the North.

**Saturday,  
November 2, 2013**

Persons participating in the training program will also be expected to attend a class in wolf ecology, but the track training will allow them to get started as volunteer carnivore trackers.

**About the Workshop**

The workshop is taught by Adrian Wydeven, Wildlife Biologist, and Sarah Boles, Wildlife Technician for the Department of Natural Resources.



**Saturday, November 2, 2013  
at the Northern Great Lakes Visitor  
Center  
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.  
Lunch will be served at noon.  
Workshop fee includes all materials, instruction, and lunch - \$25 per person.  
Early registration discount fee is \$20 if paid  
registration is received before October 18, 2013.

**All registrations must be received one week  
prior to workshop start date.**

Questions? Call: **715-685-2643**

**E-mail: [admin@nglvc.org](mailto:admin@nglvc.org)**

Please enclose class fee with Registration and mail to:

**Atten: Monica Van Cleve  
Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center  
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Upon receipt of your registration and workshop payment you will receive a confirmation letter.  
No refunds given 7 days prior to the event.

**Please Complete & Mail To Enroll in  
Snow Tracking Carnivores  
& Other Mammals  
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Saturday, November 2, 2013**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
State Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Please note if any of the following applies to  
you.**

- ☐ Attended a "Study of Wolves/Wolf Ecology": class at Treehaven  
or  
☐ Attended a Tracking Skills Workshop with James Halfpenny or  
☐ Already volunteered as a carnivore tracker volunteer or  
☐ Have other tracking experience (list):  
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**Please select from the options below:**

- Are you vegetarian: ☐ Yes ☐ No  
☐ Early Discount Fee \$20.00 by Oct. 18  
☐ Workshop Fee \$25.00 payable to the Friends of the Center, LTD or "FOCAL"

**Payment Options:**

- ☐ Check ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard  
If using a credit card, please provide the card  
Number: # \_\_\_\_\_  
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